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In Re Application of: Hantke et al.

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Honorable Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

Sir:

This is a request for continued examination which is submitted in reply to the final Office action of March 13, 2007. It is respectfully requested that the following preliminary remarks and amendments be entered and considered for further prosecution of the above mentioned application.

The fee of \$810.00, required by 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e) is paid by credit card. It is respectfully requested that a one month extension of time be granted in this case. The respective \$120.00 fee is paid by credit card.

Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including Extension of Time fees, to Deposit Account 14.1437. Please credit any excess fees to such account.

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